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R 311250Z AUG 73 FM AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3903 INFO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA /AMEMBASSY LONDON 1203 AMEMBASSY MEXICO CITY AMEMBASSY ROME

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E.O. 11652: N/A TAGS: ETRD ID

SUBJECT: HARD FIBER MARKET BEHAVIOR

REF: STATE 171410 (NOTAL)

1. HAVE PURSUED SUBJECT WITH LOCAL MANAGER TANZANIA SISAL AUTHORITY (TSA) WHO HANDLES SHIPPING ARRANGEMENTS FOR APPROXIMATELY ONE QUARTER TANZANIA'S SISAL EXPORTS. HE IS UNAWARE ANY SIGNIFICANT CHANGE IN TANZANIA'S EXPORT MARKETING CONFIGURATION ALTHOUGH INDICATED SLIGHTLY MORE TONNAGE BEING SHIPPED TO EARTERN EUROPE AND CHINA THAN TWO YEARS AGO. LOCAL SHIPPING AGENT, WHO IS CLOSE TO SISAL TRADE, MADE SAME COMMENT ALTHOUGH ADMITTED THAT SINCE LINES HE REPRESENTS ONLY SERVE WESTERN EUROPE HE COULD BE MISTAKEN IN HIS OBSERVATION.

2. DIFFICULT TO ASSESS TANZANIA'S SISAL MARKETING PATTERN FROM DAR SINCE TSA HEAD OFFICE IS IN TANGA. EMBASSY ECON OFFICER, WHO HAD ALREADY PLANNED TRIP TO TANGO NEXT WEEK, WILL SEEK FURTHER ANSWERS TO REFTEL AND REPORT SEPTEMBER 10. CARTER

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